

Alexandria-Washington Lodge No. 22

January 1979

FROM THE EAST

Brethren,

Greetings from your humble servant, who thanks each and every one for the honor bestowed upon him to serve as your Worshipful Master during the one hundred ninety-sixth year of the most outstanding Masonic Lodge in this country and perhaps the world. A special thanks is, also, extended to those Worshipful Masters under whom I served while in line to the East.

The officers have given their assurance they will faithfully perform the duties of the office to which they have been elected and appointed. I in turn pledge to you, My Brethren, the best I have in effort, time and talent. With this assurance on our part and with your cooperation and help there is no reason why Alexandria-Washington Lodge cannot be at the top of the list of outstanding lodges in this area.

It is our hope that our lodge will function in such a manner that there will be no doubt when it comes to qualifying for the Noel Hillman Memorial Award, or any other awards that may be offered for meritorious service during 1979. Our plans for the year encompasses all the requirements for this award. It can be easily obtained by each of us performing our duties with thoroughness and dispatch.

Your attention is called, elsewhere in the Trestleboard, to the important dates of lodge activities for the entire year, so you will have due notice thereof.

The dinner celebrating Brother Washington's Birthday will be in the Memorial Dining Room, followed by a program in the auditorium. The tickets may be picked up from the Secretary, or any of the lodge officers during the month of January for a donation of \$5.00, or in February for a donation of \$5.50. The *deadline* for tickets is February 15.

May the New Year be for you and your family happy and prosperous. May the Supreme Architect of the Universe Bless each of you with good health during the entire year.

Sincerely and fraternally,
Jason W. Snyder
 Worshipful Master

ALEXANDRIA-WASHINGTON LODGE No. 22
Ancient Free and Accepted Masons
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JANUARY 1979 - TRESTLEBOARD

Day	Time	Activity
Tue 01/02/1979	7:00 pm	Lodge School
Thu 01/11/1979	7:30 pm	STATED MEETING - Educational Program - Official Visit of the District Educational Officer, Wor. Willard D. Flockhart, PM
Mon 01/15/1979	7:00 pm	CALLED MEETING - Degree Work - EA
Mon 01/22/1979	7:00 pm	CALLED MEETING - Degree Work - FC
Thu 01/25/1979	7:30 pm	STATED MEETING - Business - Birthdays - Speaker
Mon 01/29/1979	7:00 pm	CALLED MEETING - Degree Work - MM

STATED COMMUNICATIONS: Second and Fourth Thursdays of each month except Thanksgiving, Observance of George Washington's Birthday and December 27th

We meet at 7:30 unless otherwise stated.

GEORGE WASHINGTON MASONIC NATIONAL MEMORIAL

OTHER EVENTS IN OUR DISTRICT THIS MONTH

Day	Time	Activity
Fri 01/05/1979	7:30 pm	Occoquan Lodge No. 310 - Installation of Officers - Open
Sun 01/07/1979	8:00 pm	Masonic Service - First Christian Church 2723 King St., Alexandria, VA. - MT. WOR. ROBERTY RHANDLE KENNEDY, JR., GRAND MASTER will be the Speaker
Mon 01/08/1979	7:30 pm	John A. Lejuene Lodge No. 350 - Installation of Officers - Open
Mon 01/08/1979	8:00 pm	Kena Temple - Election and Installation of Officers
Sat 01/11/1979	11:00 am	MASTERS and WARDENS MEETING at Elmer Timberman Lodge No. 54
Tue 01/30/1979	7:30 pm	DISTRICT SCHOOL - Elmer Timberman Lodge No. 54

IMPORTANT DATES FOR 1979

Jan 13	Masters and Wardens Meeting at Elmer Timberman Lodge No. 54 - 11:00 AM
Jan 30	District School at Elmer Timberman Lodge No. 54 - 7:30 PM
Feb 11-14	GRAND LODGE in Richmond
Feb 19	Celebration of Washington's Birthday
Feb 22	Grand Master's official visit
Mar 22	Past Master's Night
Apr 26	Congressional Night
Apr 28	Visit William L. Elkins Lodge in Philadelphia
May 10	Official visit of the District Deputy Grand Master
May 12	Memorial Dedication in 1932
May 20	Visit the Masonic Home in Richmond
May 24	York Rite Night
June 14	Wardens' Night
June 24	Lodge attend church - St. John The Baptist
June 28	Scottish Rite Night
July 8	Lodge Picnic
July 12	Patriotic Night
Aug 9	Shrine Night
Sept 24	Youth Night
Sept 27	Program - Corner Stone Laying of the U.S. Capitol
Oct 13	Dinner - Annual visit from William L. Elkins Lodge
Oct 25	Founders Day Program
Nov 1	Joint Communication of Alexandria-Washington and Andrew Jackson Lodge
Nov 8	Deputy Grand Master Speaks
Nov 14	First meeting of our lodge in the Memorial
Nov 17	Table Lodge
Dec 14	Lay wreath at Washington's Tomb
Dec 29	Open installation of officers for 1980

LOST BROTHERS

The mail for five of our Brothers has been returned. Every effort has been made to contact these Brothers. If you know the whereabouts of anyone of these good masons, please contact the Master, or Secretary, either by telephone, or letter. These Brothers will be removed from our membership roll if they cannot be located within a reasonable time. They are:

William B. M. Allman Southern Towers Alexandria, Va. 22304	John C. Harvey Route 3, Box 123 Norwood, N.C. 28129	Frank W. Johns Naval Reserve Center Raleigh, N.C. 27611
George L. MacElroy 1301 Mass. Ave., N.W. Washington, D.C. 20005	Lt. Col. Wesley Graydon Nichols 9025 East 33rd Place Tucson, Arizona 85710	

Alexandria-Washington Chapter, Order of DeMolay

John A. Elmore, Master Councilor
 Brother Jay A. Ranck, Chapter Dad
 Meets in the North Room, 2nd and 4th Saturdays at 7:30 PM
 All Master Masons are invited to Attend